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"The King's Bride," which was presented by the Bandmann Opera Company last night, cannot be considered as one of their most successful productions, and the audience was not quite so large as usual, but no doubt the unfavourable weather had something to do with this. Still some of those present did not appear particularly

impressed with what they saw. The music was a little more convincing than the "plot," for some of the solos were exceedingly protty, while there were choruses which went with a rare swing and precision and these facts, combined with the brilliant setting-especially in the second act in the King's Palace-made up for what little deficiencies there might have been. Mi William Farmer, as I rince Rodolph, was in fine voice, his singing being much admired. Mr Bobby Roberts was very provided many hughable situations, not Fan in each Cabin. the least of which was his singing of the song "Poppers." Mr. E. Granby, as the weak-minded monarch, also did extremely -well. Most of the work devolved upon the male members of the company but mention should be made of Miss biarjorie Temport, Miss Violet Frampton and Miss Stella Godenn who made the most of their parts A pretty dence to the popular sir of "In the Shadows" was effectively executed by three charming young ladies. Attention is directed to changes made in the performances. Owing to numerous requests "The Mousme" will be staged to-morrow instead of "The Arcadiana" which will be performed next Wednesday "The Count of Luxembourg" on:Thursday; and Filday, being the farewell per-formance. The Merry Widow" will be staged, when Miss Georgie Corlass will make her reappearance after four years. Miss Corlass is taking the place of Miss Florence Beech who fell seriously ill at

We are naked to state that those who have booked sents for The Arcadians for Faturday and do not desire to see "The Mume" can have their tickets exchanged for the elterni date.

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smaller library had existed over the south-

ern walk of the cloisters. Eventually, in

1662, the library was transfe red to its pre-

sent quarters, overlooking Thames Street, t

Of the s ace occupied by the old library

the larger portion at the scuthern end is

how the chapter room, and the smaller

portion north is the office of the Chapter

So for as was known there was but little

trace of the work of the original architect.

On the recent appointment of a new Chap.

ter Clork, the old office was taken in hand

from the ceiling of the whitewash and

several coats, of paint, it was found to

consist of panels of very fine oak work.

with bosses of delicate and elaborate

cirving. These were all carefully taken

down and cleaned, photographed, and

The whole design of the ceiling is most

interesting. It is evidently the only portion

remaining of that which originally canopied

the whole of the old chapter library from

end to end. The centre boss represents's

chalice, between the initials "T. B."

reposing on an altar slab of which the five

crosses are still visible. The consecrated

wafer that had been above the chalice has,

however, been chirelled off. It seems

probable that the initials are those of

Thomas Bowde, who was cahon and

treasurer of St. George's from 1490 to

1493. In the books of the chapter

for 1483 (the year in which the building

was commenced) are to be found entries

relating to the wood procured for its

construction. Though begun towards the

close of Edward IV.'s reign it apparently

was not completed till Henry VII. was on

manawearing a hat, possibly intended to

represent the worthy treasurer himself; a

rabbit nibbling peascod (the latter the

bidge of Richard II.); a bunch of grapes

wun "Glory" of King Edward IV.

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#### "KING GOMBBEN!"

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for the adaptation of his use. On removal They're burntin up intirely the Nationalist machine.

For there's a cruel plot agin' the rule of King Gombeen. I met with Johnny Dillon-faix! he

wasn't lookin' gran---And says he, 'How's poor ould Russell an. how does he stand?" He's the quarest of teetotallers that iver

yet was seen. For he's fightin' like a Trojan in defence. of the shebeen!

I'm sick of Hlorses Plunkett and of hearin' what ha's done

To win for poor ould Ireland a good place in the suo. im a credit to the country? What the

blazes do they mean? Why, the credit of the country is nothin but Gombeen!

I if the struggling grocers are defrauded. of thir due. Let it remind them of the way King John oppressed the Jew!

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another of nuts, another of Tudor roses, be brought telore the reading public ou and, most remarkable of all from an the Revolution in China is to come from the hetaldic I oint of view, a shield with a pan of a writer upon Chinese affairs who pierced heart in centre, the shield being has been through the trouble from the surrounded with a crown of thorns (instead start. In his "Across China on Foot," Mr Edwin J. Dingle made some strangely of the Garter), and behind all the full prophetic announcements, which worked themselves out in the Revolution not long after the book had appeared, and which that of a beautiful window with an nakon showed that the author was taking. sine view of the working of the modern spirit in China. Many reviewers hoped hat Mr Dingle would write another book on the present Revolution, and it is gratifying to find that he has done so. Therefore, we venture to predict that Mr. Diugles "China's Revolution : 1911-1912," a historical and political record of China's rivil war, will arrive most opportunaly and will be, so for as we are aware, the first of

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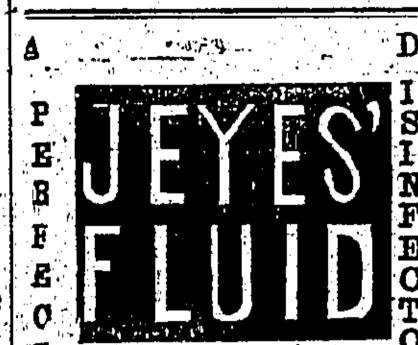
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HONGKONG CONTRASTS.

Curious Customs and Shopping Worries. (From the Westminster Gazette.)

The first impression of a visitor to Houg kong is that it is a city of the dead. This effect is produced on account of the wide verandahs belonging to all the houses, so that at a distruct no windows are seen, and all the buildings look like huge skulls

My own feeling as to this was heightened when I arrived at the Peak Hotel, and found all the "boys" (some of them old | was delightful. men) clad in long white robes, which, with heir lean, cadaverous brown faces, and shaven polls, suggested a phase of the resurrection -- not altogether a pleasant

At the office a rather different thought occurred to me when I saw the typists and clorks in their churt white jackets, their tight pents, and large; unine-use foreheads. pected them to urge you to sing the chorus tobacco, for perhaps opinin, and allow She sells sen shells on the sea-shore. One of the Chinese clients, clothed in what: appeared to be black oilskins and carrying a large "gamp," was Mr George Robey to the life, and if he had suddenly rolled his eyes and told us to "Desist! I pritheo. thou set of acurvy knaves," I shouldn't

have been in the least surprised. The next peculiarity of the Colony is the anomaly of the mon and women's occupations according to our English ideas.

WOMEN'S HEAVY TARKS. drag huge loads harnessed like horses, curry heavy weights strung over their shoulders as yokels carry milk-cans in the country. They stagger up the Peak for about 100 yards, when they lay down their burden, go back, pick a new lot up, carry this up to the first dumping-place, then take the first load on a few yards further and so, on, all under a blazing sun. All the bricklaying, roadmending, coaling, &c., is done equally by both sexes; but perhaps the most curious sight is to see a woman marked you down as "a sure thing" and straining at an oar, or at the steerage of a greets you with au oily smile. sampan. If the boat be a very heavy one, plenty sinff have got. Yes, hessyvys what two of the women will work an oar together; you want." . " How much?" An absurdly one pulling one way, and the other push- extertionate amount is named. You suging, whilst a little baby is perched on the gest a third of this price, whereat he

which is the European Se tlement, one | been." You return to the business in hend often sees a Chinese boy walking along and begin to bargain. You are a great Miyasaki Maru, L. H.K. for Kobe Apri sedately pushing a perambulator, whilst the E wlish nursemaid walks empty-banded by I slightly reduces the original price. You tell his side, and superintends operations. Of him you are not salisfied in the rich flowery course, all the housework is done by language of the Orients He becomes

nature of the place. This was most forcibly suggest splitting the difference. The tears Tango Maru, In Europe. borne id upon me the other day when I stand in his eyes. You are crued and Man Majkith Mich am Timetican on ode Bine and an Acetralian on the other. Just infront of us were a couple of Germans, a Parsee stood at the door of his shop, a Japanese girl followed by two Portugueve swith a chestered air as of one who has boys passed us, and a moment later a rick. | been robbed of his ave lamb against his show, went by in which sat a Spapier will, and all the time be is making ab least maiden. There were, of course, Chinese 60 per cent, over the transaction scattered all over the place as usual, so that beto within a litted red yards of one another in ameri maintry and he is as cute as a at least nine uniterfalities were represented. I might policeman. It would be hard to name a country which child not produce its type here!

A contingent of the Beluchistan Infantr is here ; we have bikk policemen . Indiana fall kinds the represented officially in the sivil and police course, next to the Color Canal Day Carmen III

A CATHERING OF THE PATIONS.

nosiling below with all the ships lying motioniess in the harbour, and Kowloon just across the way, where the distant hills look like papier mache ones. ..

You got some very fine sunset effects and noward then an extraordinary lightning display when the flashes dark about from one range of hills to another, and illumi nate the place for several minutes; quit

unlike anything ever seen in England. Hongkong looks prettier from the har bour at night time when you see all the lights twinkling not only along the coast, with empty sockets where the eyes should | but away up at intervals to the top of the Peak, and at Coronation time, when the whole coluny was lighted up by red Chinese linterns, the effect from the water

SHOPPING WORRIES. It is an interesting experience to go shopping in the Chinese quarters. The other day a friend wanted a piece of black wood furniture for a wedding present, and we ransacked some of the more likely snops to find it, and interviewed the profprietors. They betrny no exgerness to sell They were exactly like our old music hall but puff slowly and sourly at their tremonfriend Wilkie Bard, and one almost ex- dous pipes containing one small pinch of to pull about the articles exposed for sale as much as you please it saves them trouble. Some of them speak practically no English, but they usually have a small son who has been educated at Queen' College here, a large Anglo-Chinese boy's

scho I, and he acts as interpreter. The more you baryain, the more lethargic the shopkeeper becomes; you feel you are boring him to death, and atammer apologies which he accepts gracefully. "No ; he's The women work just like the men they | not got what you want." "Will he have it later on ?" He can't say. Perhaps, you suggest tentatively, he may bave the article in his Godown He doesn't think so; anyway; the Godown's locked up, and lit's too much trouble to bother about opening it. Then you are afraid you must go somewhere else. He thinks it might to as well, and then he and his assistants can all

The next shop you call at you find

more wideswake man in charge, who has back of each in a sort of cradle or papoose laughs pleasuntly, and skillfully changes the Kamakura Maru. A. Seattle April 12 conversation and chats of the weather and | Rage Maru, A. S pore from H. K. April On the other hand, up on the Peak, oquires I how lone you have Hongkong nuisance, but he will humour you. He pali ed, cus might almost say sheeked The next point is the very consmopolitan. Hours seem by have passed, and you unreasons id. As you step quiside there in a groun of anguisti You turn. Maskee he moste. Dan do packs it up for you, fastens it, scale it, all

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Stentor, P. Capal O. April 2.

Talthybius, A. Tacoma Aprill3.

Telemachus, L. H. K. H. April S. Teucer, P. Canal H. April 2. Titan, A. S'pore H. April S. "CHINA MUTUAL S. N. C. Astyanax, A. Home March 15. Hyson, P. Canal O. April 9. Coemun. L. Tacoma April 17. Memnon. L. S'pore H. March 30. Moyune.P. Canal H. March 19. Neleus, L. H.K. H. April 2. Ningchow, L. Yhama H. April 10. Pakling, A. Home March 8.

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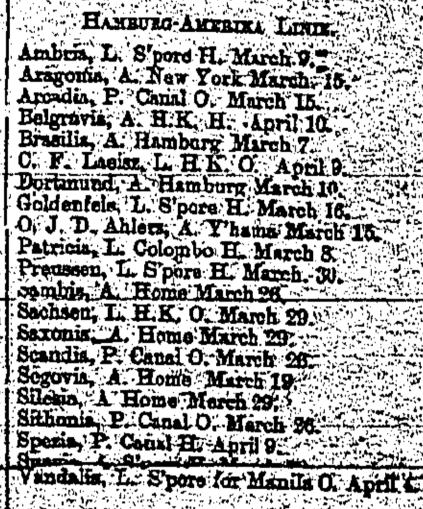
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On Thursday evening we published brief personal note announding the deat at Bangkok of Me John McClure. From the Burgick Times of March 27 we learn that it was the result of an accident. Says. our contemporary: For some time past he had been working at Petchaburi, and returned from there yesterday by the noun train. He visited the firms offices and was proceeding homeward when the accident occurred. According to an eyo witness, a Malay in the employ of Mr John M. Dunlop, Mr McClure was walking in the roadway, between Bahtawai and the Slipway, when an approaching gharry knocked-him down-and-ran-over-him: The gharry driver tried to bolt but was ar-

rested. Mr Dunnipace, who was returning from the Slipway by read, found Mr. Mc-Clure lying insensible, and with assistance had him removed. He was placed in a gharry to be taken to his home, but when nearly there, we are informed, the Police insisted on his being taken to the Bantawai Police Station. Mr Leonard, who happened to be passing, telephoned to Messrs. Howarth Erskine, Ltd., and Mr O'Hara and Dr Pin proceeded to the station. Mr McClure had a large wound on the temple. and was otherwise injured. Dr Pin pronounced life extinct, and the body was removed to the Police Hospital to await a post mortem. The certificate gives the cause of death as fracture of the skull. Mr McClure was 68 years of ago.

Mr John McClure was known from Java to Tientsin, and during his long life in the East over forty-five years-there were very few ports in the tropics he had not visited. A native of Bowling, near Glasgow, he came first to Sin apore, and then acted as engineer on one of the Dutch steamers sailing between Java and Singa? pore. He went home on a transport from Java called the Sumntra, and on his return so the East went up to China, joining 395 the service of Jardine, Matheson and For some years he ran reguarly between Shanghai and Tientsin. Leaving that Company he went over to Manila and was engineer of a Spanish stuamer called the Don Juan. His next boat was the Mary Austin which sailed for a number of years between Penang and Sumatra, as well as to Klang and the Native States ports. Later he joined the Albein, the property of the Borneo Company, Ltd. In this ship he was chief Robinson, now engineer of the Borneo Co.'s Oil tanks at Paklat, sailed with him, the Albein running between Bangkok and Bombay. About 1892 he was married in

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CHARACTER STUDY OF THE COAL MINER.

Deposits received for fixed periods at (From "The Daily Mail.") The Cannock Chase working collier is no a bad sort. There are worse folk in the big towns. I can see for myself that he has a human fondness for gardening, and children, and dogs, and doing nothing in THE MERCANTILE BANK FOF particular in the sunshine. All the simple delights of nature appeal to him. There are wild deer on the Chase, and when op-AUTHORIZED CAPITAL .....£1,500,000 portunity offers he has a keen interest in the beautiful creatures. I saw a herd of RESERVE FUND .....£ 365,000 close on twenty race up a valley slope yes-

> attention. There are more than 500 dogs of many Hednesford, and I should imagine that there are some hundreds of thers which, living under a Socialist system, are the property of the community and pay no taxes. These communal dogs gather in the morning on the green in front of the Anglesey waiting for friendly colliers to come and take them for a walk. For the dogs, both the licence holders and communal ones, the strike is as joyous a time

as for their masters. The colliers have also a simple natural liking for beer, for which I for one do not blame them. Indeed, I marvel at the contented disposition which enables them to find any pleasure in drinking the kind of beer which in most of the mining villages is supplied. The lives of these men must indeed be hard if they can be solaced by such beer as would provoke indignation riots among the over-cultured inhabitant, of Bermondsey or Hoxfon. They are the scul of hospitality. At the sight of a stranger they will arrest the passage of the glass on its way to their lips and say, "Drink, old sport." They pay their debts cheerfully, the tradesmen tell me, except such as they may incur during a strike. These they regard as being subject to a sort of unwritten moratorium. But when

machine instalment and other such obligations, which townspeople grow increasingly to resent, without a murmur. They paid their rents on Monday in a The collier, it seemed, had special honour free-handed, sailor-like way, although they for one exploit. He had matched his were on strike, and although in many cases | unbesten a hipput against another much their landlords are the colliery proprietors inferior dog, which he proceeded to back against whom they think they are striking beavily at long odds. In order to win his They respect existing institutions, and betwhe had stuffed " his dwn animal, givhave no wild animosity against the estab- ing it a big feed of offal and new bread lished constitution of society. They do not immediately prior to the match. Even then go to the little church at the top of the he had won the match probably because hill in large numbers, but they do not the other dog had been still more effective want to pull it down, and they speak with ly stuffed, but his efforts to cheat were

man of the football club.

they are working they pay up their talking

I notice that pit managers and other colliery officials, when they begin to tal coal and lab air and output, and that sort of thing, are contemptuously ho-tile to the granted on all the principal cities in the minimum wage and the men's unreason able and unreasoning demands, and will indignantly deny that the men who are willing and able to work got an unsatisfactory wage. But if you, a stranger, are led by their remarks to venture an opinion decembery to the c aracter and disposition The Officers of the Bank are bound notof the miners, the same men will jump! down your throat with the seertion that there is not a better, a more industrious, a more kindly-hearted at of working mem to be found in all England or for the matter of that, in the wide world. T do not believe that one of a nundred of the men was the strike of the contract of

most prominent among the masters, and they speak" gratefully of the kindly and generous treatment they have been accustomed to receive from the "Cannock and Rugeley," the most fortunately prosperois of the colliery companies on the Chase. It is curious to hear them talk on the

subject of "allowance" coal. It is one of the customs of the coal mining trade that a monthly allowance of something like threequarters of a ten of house coal is made by the colliery owners free of charge to every married man employed in the pits. It is a supplementary allowance upon their wages, and, of course, by all rules of right and wrong, when they are earning no wages terday. If the strike continues some of they cannot expect any supplement. But these will probably engage his studious they have such a belief in the kindly feeling of their employers that the suggestion that the mostly allowance of free coal might possibly be withheld\_. "The colonel wouldn't do that; Mr Smithuist ain't that kind of man," they say. It is true that some of the hooligan lads-and there are hooligan lads in mining villages as elsewhere-openly hint that if the ' lowance'

less interest in allowance coal than in

Hare, Shanghai,-Tu Chai mischief for mischief's sake. High as are the simple virtues of the Partridge, -Che Khoo ... collier, the stranger should be wary of him | Pheasant, - Shan Kai ! ... in any sporting matters involving dogs. A gentleman of austere virtue pointed out to me a big, burly, good-looking miner whom he described as the pattern of a collier and a man honest as the day, unright in all his dealings, a skilful and industrious workman, thrifty and sober, a good husband and father, and although a man of immense strength, one who was never known to do violence to another except in defence of the weak victim of some bullying brufe. He spoke with glowing eloquence of this man, out of whose cont pocket a bull terrier pup suddenly popped his head. That reminded him that the paragon was a great man on dogs and one of the leading spirits in the colliers' sport of whippet racing and rabbit coursing, and then he went on torecite with admiration a record of the Canton Fresh Water Fish, -Hoi Sin Yu horrible villainies which this same man had perpetrated in association with dog sport.

affectionate pride of the vicar and his regarded by his sulngist as the consciensquare-shouldered curate, who is the Chair-I time endeavour of a good man overwholmed by unmerited misfortune.

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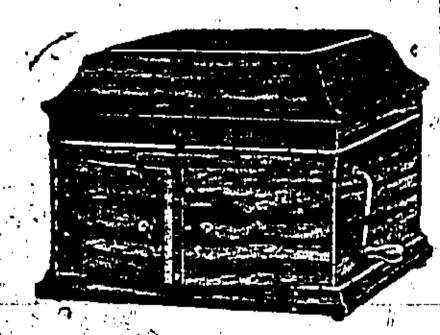
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General Memoranda.

SUNDAY, April 14:--8 a.m.—Excursion to Macao. WEDNESDAY, April 17 :-23th Punjabis' Sports...

THURSDAY, April 18:-The Ayris Case at Criminal Sessions. St. Stephen's College Sports, Happy

Saturday, April 20 :--V.R.C. Sports Volunteer Reserves' Dinner.' 7.45 p.m.—H.K. Football Club Annual

Monday, April 22:-Noon-Hongkong Schools Sports.

The China Mail.

Hongkond, FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1912.

THE adoption of a metallic currency in the world, she has no real currency | though the change was hardly effected in the true sense of the word. That in a manner very scientific or the establishment of a silver currency economic. Still if a farsecing country generally assumed. It will be remem- a considerable loss in changing her Empress' reign YUAN SHUI-KAI re- is no reason why India under more peatedly advocated the necessity for favourable circumstances should not the establishment a silver standard do likewise. The problem is a mos currency. That he may have turned interesting one—one which will be against silver in the interval is possi- watched with keenest attention by ble, but we think it will be obvious statesmen and economists in all parts to such an astute politician as YUAN of the world. SHIH-KAI that the adoption of a gold standard at the outset would be highly injudicious. it would be a case of attempting to run before the ablity to walk is assured. The Monday next. poverty of China and its undeveloped condition tend to demand the intro- were picked up yesterday, one at Hunghom,

duction of a silver standard. If in a Land the other near Mongkok. Death in poor country like India, where the greater part of the people are dependent on agriculture, gold coins are only just becoming more widely used, it is obvious that China with Road." her millions of poverty-stricken subjects could not adapt herself to a gold standard. The introduction of a silver standard into China will create an interesting problem in the economic world. Just as France sold her surplus silver in the sixties and seventies of the last century to India on her adoption of a gold standard by purchasing freely of the newly produced gold of California and Anstralin, so it is possible that India may similarly dispose of her silver in turo

Phat India has hourded

anxious to acquire

There is however, but little doubt that the gold sovereign is yearly becoming more popular amongst the wealthier classes in India. Last year's gold imports into that country exceeded one-fifth of the world's total supply. Over 20 millions sterling of gold was purchased by India during the last year. This figure is surely creative of much thought; it conveys a lesson. It cannot of course he necessarily assumed that India will purchase 20 millions sterling of gold every year; her gold imports depend on her crops. If, however, the crops in India continue to be favourable, so will her purchases of gold continue on a similarly large scale. The recent increase in governing power granted to both the Viceregal and Provincial Councils in India gives her a free hand to decide the question no longer rests, as heretofure, in the is therefore clearly to be deduced that? the tendency is for an increase in the gold imports into India, rather than for a decrease. The world further is becoming universally converted to gold standard, whilst the silver standa d is everywhere being rejected. China's adoption of a silver standard

character of the native of India-

A marked rise in the price of silver measured in gold will be an opportunity of which we think India will not lose sight. It may, however, be urged that she will not be inclined to dispose of her hoards of silver rupees to China, which would entail on her a loss of 35%—the exchange of silver rupees at their metal value for gold. We have, however, a precedent in the action of Germany after the Franco-Prussian War. It will be remembered that Germany then in her currency reform called in the silver thaler with CHINA'S CURRENCY REFORM. amazing rapidity which she sold at any price she could get—too mpidly she afterwards found-for her wholewill undoubtedly be one of the first | sale selling caused a marked fall in the reforms to be introduced by YUAN price of silver. This wholesale sale Shill-Kai and his ministers; for of silver certainly established her gold

attitude on this point. If the Republic

brings, as it is sincerely to be hoped,

a settled government and a new era

of trade and commerce in its wake,

the need for silver on the part of

China will be great, and this must

affect appreciably the price of silver.

notwithstanding the fact that China currency (assisted by the indemnity of one of the oldest civilized countries | 200 millions sterling from France will be introduced is more or less like Germany was prepared to pocket bered that during the late Downger silver standard for a gold one, there

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A constant supply of water through the Rider Mains will be resumed on

Two dead bodies of Chinese children each instance was due to small pox.

A rickshaw coolie was sent to hospital

Replying to hir Sykes in the House of Commous, Mr Buxton rail his attention had been drawn to newspaper reported regarding the conduct of lascars on the Oceana. He had ordered an enquiry intothe circumstances of the disaster.

The new Excise scheme for Burms comes into force shortly und x which pay will vary in many cases, an it is found that the present salary of Excise Officers is high for the work done. The Distillery and Salt (stablishment will be amaigamated with the new Excise Department

Weekly Ten report dated March 14th to China in order to provide herelf asys: China - There is no general /inwith the gold she has of late been and provement in the demand for China tea The Country Trade, owing partly to the Coal Strike, ban been very disappointing. and only a few small orders are being secret coffers unfold wealth of silver acouted in good to fine Kintacks Johangs and Symptomes Lower grade Compute are it generally recognized the would but at attack but at present however be futile do huzardieven a the trade are buy toping from being to

NEWS OF THE DAY:

A ball will be held in Singspore on S Georgia Day: April 23rd

The thick is no respector of places, for all the Ourant lamps within reach in the amall court in the Courts of Justice numbering ton, have mysteriously dis-

A Chinese woman, aged 42, attempted to commit suigide a few days ago, and the police have made a charge against her in consequence. Testerday abe was removed from gool to the Tung Wah Hospital and was there cortified to be suffering from

the Eastern France milway, met with an They thereupon issued a fresh writ. Well, awful death on March A. While at work on his engine attached to a train running plaintiffs procedure was wrong. st full speed he became insane through an first action was still pending and attack of neuranthenia and threw himself into the furnace, with the result that he was incinerated.

the extradition of Vincente Sotto, Filipino journalist, the Chief Justice but the Captain Superintendent of Police to costs. show cause why the prisoner should not be hands of the Home Government. It discharged, and the Full Court will or Thursday next hear logal argument on the

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Singapore papers say that Miss Florence Beach is making steady progress towards

Major R. M. H. Y. Peacock has been appointed to the Minotaur on recommissioning.

The Pev. F. G. B. Hastings, B.A., bas been appointed chaplain to the Minotaur on recommissioning.

Sub. Lt. Palliser, of H. M. S. Kent, has been promoted Lieutenant and re-appointed to the cruiser in lieu of a sub-lieuters

Sir John Matthews, a former Attorney-General for the Straits Settlements, is the prospective Liberal candidate for South Wilts, now represented by Mr C. Bathurst,

Mrs F. S. Clarke, wife of Mr Clarke, of Messrs. Adis and Exchiel, Singapore, died at Port Said on April 2nd, while on her way home seeking health. She had many friends-in Hongkong who will learn with regret of her sudden death.

Havander Konnedy, brother of Lady Evelyn Young, wire or wire or of the Straits Settlements, has died after a short illness. He saw active service with the Black Watch in the Soudan and retired rom the Army with the rank of Lie

A marriage was arranged and was to take place quietly at the Church of St Michael and All Angels, Walford, Herefordshire, on March 20, between Alfred George, only son of Mr. A. G. Hayman, of Hapsford House, Frome, Somersetshire, and Marjory Vivian Mary, elder daughter of the late G. W. Butt, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, and Mrs Butt, of Halcombe, Walford, Ross-on-Wye.

Mmo, Sarah Bernhard, the great actress,

ins shown herself in a new role by coming into the auditorium during one of the entractes of "L'Aiglon" at her theatre and taking round a plate collecting for the National Aeroplane Fund. Such an inpovation was naturally not without success; and when the great actress appeared in the orchestra, alim and elegant in her costume of white and gold, the audience at the mat nee, largely composed of Frenchschoolgirls, applanded her even more warmly than they applieded her final tirade just before the curtain went down. Other artists followed her, and very rapidly the e lection-plate was filled. The fund now amounts to nearly £38,000.

THE NEW TEBRITORIES. Rumours of Extension.

There are rumours circulating in the Colony that an extension of the boundaries I had not been cleared. of the new territories is being negotiated by the British Government and the Governyesterday suffering from injuries to bis | ment of China, the idea being to put h the hard which were caused by a bamboo pole line luck so as to include Shek-wan and falling upon him from a house in Queen's the hills bordering Mira Bay and thus bring within control the city of Skek-lun. We cannot cet the rumours authenticated. we give them for what they may be worth

BOY'S STRANGE REPORT.

At about eight o'clock this morning a Portuguese schoolboy reported to the police that about 7.30 a.m. on the lith inst while he was on his way to school and was walking down Glenealy he was confronted by three Chinese, one of whom presented a revolver at his hoad. In the meantime he was robbed of 200. Detectives were enunged all this morning upon the case, and a ton making considerable enquire they found that the report was false. The money appeared to be handed to a person

who admitted that his received it from the

CLAYM FOR OMITTED ITEM

In the Court of Samuery Jariediation this 'morning Mr Justice Gompertingaye judgment in the action brought by Messru Berblinger and Co. to recover from

Weingarter the sum of \$100 alleged to be balance due for wine and spiritu supplied. Mr C. Willson was for plaintiffs and Mr L. D'Almada for the defendant. His Lordship said :-- In this action

writ had been issued for a cortain amount due on running account and owing to projected sottlement the case was taken out of the list and adjourned sine die: While the case was still pending, although out of the list, the plaintiffs discovered another item belonging to the previous Albert Koenig, an engine distant on year which they said had not been paid. on general principles. I think think their proper course was to have

had the same restored to the list and apply for leave to smend. The defendant objects to being troubled with this action, In the matter of the proceedings for | and, I think, rightly. I think the defenthe dant is entitled to a stay on this action with the costs to which he has been put Plaintiffs can have leave to smend the writ ALLEGED ASSAULT ON HOTEL of her currency the solution of which in Chambers granted a rule nim requiring if they wish. I must stay this action, with

> Mr D'Almada - Your Lordship will allow me to be heard on plaintiffs' application for leave to smend ? His Lordship—Oh yes, if you like.

Mr D'Almada—I cannot consent to lea to amend at present, my Lord. His Lordship-You oppose the applica-

Mr D'Almada—I do, my Lord. Mr Wills in-The effect of that would be my Lord, that plaintiffs are shut out from any remedy. Mr D'Almada—Defendant is entitled to take all his defences and this is or

His Lordship-You are entitled to raise

Mr D'Almads—And I submit that plaintiff is not entitled to amend that first writ now without giving notice to me. His Lordship—The application has not

oven boon made yet. Mr D'Almada -No. After further discussion, his Lordship mid the matter had better be mised

PROMISSORY NOTE CASE.

Chambers.

The case whereby J. H. Ruttonjee sued Cooper and Co. for \$311.79 balance due on a promissory no e was again mentioned this morning in the Summary Court. Mr

F.X.D'Almada was for plaintiff and M. W.B. Hind for defendants. Mr D'Almada stated that last time it was arranged that Mr Hind should say for whom he was appearing.

Mr Hind-Well, here you are-P. N Mr. D'Almada—Is he sole partner in the firm?

Mr Hind-Yes be referred to the Registrar; it is a question of accounts.

due on a promissory note, and the defen- severely injured by a European, the Court dant said he' had paid several small would ho'd that the assault was quite amounts, that there was an account on unjustified." other matters and that there was only about \$60 owing. That was the defence, and defendant would pay into Court

Mr. D'Almada I would ask your Lord ship to fix a day.... His Lordship. Have you given notice of sion.

Mr Hind-I have not yet, my Lord. Mr D'Almada-I ask for Thursday. Mr Hind-It is impossible to have the case ready by Thursday.

Mr D'Almada My friend has had a whole week: The case was fixed for next Friday.

WAITING FOR A CHEQUE.

In the Court of Summary Jurisdiction this morning, before Mr Justice Gompertz, the case was mentioned in which Tang Kee and Coi sued the Alexandra Cafe and

another for \$311.79. Mr Russ stated that he was instructed by the defendant and he came to the office winners of the B.E. and 87th Co. yesterday and said that terms had been R.G.A. in the final of the Soldiers Club arranged, so that the case might be struck

Have you got your cheque ?- Yes.

for the case to be adjourned if the cheque and 24. the care sine die. 🚳

MARINE COURT.

At the blarine Court to-day before Bullock Commander Beckwith, R.N., the mast rot Rodgers with unlawfully carrying 24 passengers in excess of the number allowed. He san Phillips Bued 210. Roz unlawfully mooring a boat within 100 yards of low water mark in a prohibited place and in prohibited hears a Chinese was fined \$2.

MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LTD.

The minctoenth annual report of the Board of Directors for the year ending 31st December 1911 says -The ne profits for the year, after providing for £28.522.44. Bd. Leought forward from last account camment to 22111.314 171 14 rom this ann where to be deducted

THE SOLDIER DENTIST CASE The case in which Dre Kew Bros. sund Surett Wreford for an amount said to due for professional services was sent mentioned this morning before its Justice Competts in the Summary Court Mr Russ raised the case on behalf

plaintiffs stating that notice had bee given the defendant under the Army Act His Lordship called attention to the fac conly to operations Mr Russ admitted that mobice had not been given to the Judge's clark or the Registrar. It was he said merely a question of formally proving the

His Lordship The practice is wrong You should have given the Registrar insula, Waterloo, Punjaub, Million-Mr Russ I thought notice was given

His Lordship -I think what I had better do now is to formally call the case and r Russ Can we give our evidence now

as my client is a busy man !-

His Lordship-It you had givere proper notice there would have been Mr Ross I one't say anything about that. I don't know anything about the practice here : I thought the case was in

The case was adjourned for a week.

MANAGER. Leave of Appeal Granted.

In yesterday's China Mail was mentioned the case which was board at the Magistracy

Later Mr C. A. Sutherton Russ (of Mosers Goldring, Barlow and Morrell app ared before Mr Melbourne to apply for a reheating of the case, or, in Court. Mr Russ said that the complainant with 5 clasp. did not get legal assistance, and the result was that the case was not represented very well to His Worship. Be did not mind it His Worship would re-hear the case or grant leave to appeal. From what he (Mr. Russ) understood the coolie struck complainant and stabbo i him on the forehead Mr Russ further intimated that they wanted to appeal on the ground of fact - with

great deference—that the verdict was against the weight of evidence; and on the point of law that whatever aggrivation the coolie may have bad, the assult on his part was of so violent a nature that it could not possibly be justified, especially the stabbling with a knife; and he thought the complainant was entitled to a conviction. His Worship would appreciate the great importance in a case like that of an Englishman being adequately protected. His client was somewhat seriously injured, and whatever happened, the coolie was not injured at all.

Mr Russ Added: "I have only just come to the Colony, but I understand that at the time the Republic was proclaimed the coolies rather lost their heads, and in many cases the safety of Europeans was greatly jeopardised. Unless the Courts are going adequately to protect Europeans, Mr D'Almada asked for a day to be fixed there may be some very serious consequences in the future. More than that, Mr. Hind-I think this case and better my chest is the assistant marages ofhotel, and if the cooling are allowed to knock about the managers with impunity Mr D'Almeda-It has nothing to do with it will be quite impossible to preserve order at all I am onits portain of this : if this Mr Hind said the claim was for balance came before any Court, and a coolie was

His Worship stated that he only reheard cases in which the parties had been taken by surprise in the evidence, or had subsequently to the hearing discovered testi mony which might have affected the deci-

Mr. Russ -I suggest that the most satisfactory arrangement would be for your worship to rehear the case, His Worship Unfortunately you did

not hear the evidence. His Worship then read the evidence to Mr Russ, who said that even if the coolis was hit he had no right to go about stab-

SPORTING.

appeal on the usual terms.

His Worship ultimately granted leave of

Billiards. VOLUNTEERS DEFEAT R.G.A. By beating the 83rd Co., R.G.A., the Volunteers have now qualified to meet the

Prior to commencement of play last evening, the Volunteers were assured of with 6 clasps; King's medal with 2 clasps. Plaintiff's manager was called, and His entering the final, the Artillery being no Lordship saked him -Is this matter less than 520 points to the bad, and with only, two games to go it was impossible The reply, was -- Defendant is going to for the latter to make good their position. The first pair to meet were Mr. Hamilton and Sergt. Eswood. A fine game was wit- 1901 Lieut. F. C. C. Pargers, 1901 You have actually received it !- I am nessed between these two, the Artillety Lieut H. T. K. Hodge, 1902 I leut C going to get it to-day. I have not get it man winning by 22 points. The winners D M. Carsis, 1905 Lieut C. V. de G

> 15. 16 and 24, whilst Teyrool's hest afforts | Brunt (1909); W. G. Bawlings (1910); E. were 11 (twice), 13 and 16. Total sorres N. Willyan's (1916). HE COLUMNERS. 83 CO. R.G.A.

Mr Ismmert 250 Gunr Westhers 128 220 Set. Halliday 250 250 Gunr. Thomas 1142 250 Gunz Cane 228 Set. Eswood 250 Gonr, Teyreal

Play will commence this evening at 7.20 between the R. F. and 87 Co. B. G. A.

ARLECTIONS POR TO MORROW The fullosing are our selections demorrow a racing at the Gymkhana HALF MILE BLIZ RAGE :-THE NOWINATION

Capt Briefley and Mr. Lawden.

The 2nd Batteling Dube of Consession The Infantry now at Louis at History fontoin, will arrive in Hongkoup in the latter purs of the year to relieve the 2nd Bu-K.C.Y. D. I., who proceed to Singapore. The new regiment has the following record of war service to lite credit .- Gibraltar. 1704 05. " Dethingett," St. Lucia, 1778." Dominica, Roles, Vinista Communa, Salamanoa, Pyrenese,

Nivelle, " Nive " Orthon " Pour tan, "Goojerah," Sevastopol, " Lucknow." Raypt, 1889," "Tal-al-Kabir," "Nile, 1884-85," South Africa, 1899-1902." Paardeberg."

The following is a list of officers attached the Battalion, with their services

Lt.-Col. F. H. Chapman Entered the service 1884. He served in the Operations. on N. W. Frontier of India 1897-5. With Tirah Expeditionary Force Medal and 2 clasps. He also serred in the S.A. War 1890-09, being present at the operations in the Transvaul from Dec. 1900 to Dec. 1901 and was then and in dean told manifest the Queen's model with Schene.

Major. H.D. Tuson-Entered the services 1886. S. reed in the S. A. War 1899 00operations in Natal 1880 Relief of Lady. smith, including action at Colsman operations of 17th to 24th Jan. 1900, and setion in which a charge brought against a Chi- At Spion Kop : operations of but to Ith nese coolic for assaulting Mr G. R. Smith, Feb. 1900 and action at Vast Krans assistant manager of the Grand Hotel, was operations on Togola Reights 14th to 27th Feb., 1900, and action at Pieters Hill: operations in the Orange Free State, May 1900 : operations in Cape Colony, south o Oranga River 1899 poperations north o alt rostive, for leave of appeal to the Full Orange River May 1900; Queen's medal

> Major P. B. Norris-Entered the service 1880; promoted Linutenant 1893, Captain in 1898, Major in 1906,

Capt. P. G. Petwel - Entered the service 1892. Served in the S. A. War 1899-02 operations in Orange Free State, May 1900 including actions at Vet River (5th and 6th May) and Zand River; operations in the Transveal in May and June 1900, including actions near Johannesburg and Pretoria; operations in Transvall Nov. to Jan. 1907. Aug. to May 1902; severely wounded. Queen's medal with 3 clasps - King's medal.

Capt. H. S. P. Simon-Entered the service 1893. Served in the operations on W. Frontier of India 1897-8; with Tirah Expeditionary Force; modal with 2

Capt. J. L. Swainson-Entered the arvice in 1899. Served in the S. A. War 1899-02 operations in Transval in May and June 1900; operations in Natal, March to June 1900, including action at Laings Nek 6th to 9th June; operations in Transvaal, cost of Pretoris July to Nov. 1900 : o erations in Orange River Colony May to Nov. 1900; operations in Transver! Nov. 1900 to May 1902 Queen's medal with 4 clasps ; King's medal with 2 clasps ... · Capt. G. C. Tracey - Entered the service: Sorre in S. A. War 1901; Queen

Capt. E. B. Ward-Hatered the service 1900. Served in the S. A. War-operations in the Transvall May 1902. Queen's medal and 3 diseps : King's

medal and 2 clasps. Capt. H. N. B. Harrison Entered the ervice 1890. Served in the S. A. War 1900-02,—operations in Natal, March to June 1900 operations in the Transvasi east of Pretoria, July to Nov. 1900, including actions at Belfast, 26th and 27th Aug. and Lydenberg 5th to 8th Sept; operations in the Transval Nov. 1900 to May 1902 Queen's medal and 3 clasps : King's medal and 2 clasps. Capt. A. P. Dens Entered the service

1899, promoted Lieutenant 1900, Captain

Capt A. W. Stericker-Entered the ervice 1889. Served in the S. A. War-1899-20: Present at the relief of Kumberley: perations in Orange Free State, Feb to May 1900 including operations at Panidoberg 17 to 26 Feo, actions at Poplar Grove and Dreifontein; operations in the Transvast, May and June 1900, including actions near Johannesburg, Pretoris and Diamond Hill. Itth 12th Jone: operations in the Tansyani cast of Pretoria July to Nov 1900, including actions at Belfast 28th and 27th August; operations in the Transvasi Nov 1900 to May 1902; mentioned in despatches. Queen's medal Lieut C. H. G. Collins Entered the service in 1902. Served in the S. A. War. 1902 operations in the Transval, April to May 1902. Queen's thedal withid clasus; Lieut G.L.S. Elbrow, entered the service best breaks were 16, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 26. Edys. 1905 Lieut. W. R. Barker 1965 Mr Russ Perhaps it is only fair to sale whilst the loser made 12, 13 (twice), 22 Lieut R. G. M. Porcelli, 1906; Lieut S. Mathews, 1907: Lieuti A.W. Pation 21907: The second game, between Mr McLennan Lieut, T. E. Bieder, 1900 - Lient, J. H. His Lordship-I think so. I will pub and Quar Teyroel, fell to the Volunteer by Bradney, 1909 Lieut, M. L. Paske, 1909 31 points McLenman made breaks of IL 2nd Lieuts E. H. Chapter (1909) J. C. H.

LENDERS AND BORROWERS

In the Summary Court this morning Mi Linion Comparis after cursioning in 154 desertable in a minute, and the cases for could not make an order by more through would take years to pay till THE TORONTO WALL YOU DANNESS 

His Louising But I want to story to Mr Russ - Curry try distribut marries

### HOME RULE.

ANOTHER HISTORIC DAY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE PERSISTENT IRISH

DEMAND.

the Irish standpoint, he said since

the extension of the franchise in 1884

there had been eight general elections.

The fortunes of political parties has

and war, shifting issues and changing

policies, but throughout the welter and

persistence of the Pish demand. He

emphasized the preponderant charact if

of the vote given in favour of Home

THE POSITION OF ULSTER.

Look at Ulater. (Opposition cheers.)

leading was the character of the pre-

of their fellow countrymen.

PROGRESS OF IRELAND.

He reviewed the progress of Ireland

get the seperate concerns of the differ-

CONGESTION OF BUSINESS.

Mr Asquith laid stress on the con-

presented more difficulty than that of

He then came to the Bill itself. It

was expressly stipulated in the first

clause that the supreme authority of

the Imperial Parliament remained un-

impaired. An Irish Parliament was to

be established consisting of a Senate

POWERS CONFERRED.

laws for the preservation of peace,

make laws respecting matters exclusive-

y relating to Ireland. The list

excluded matters wherewith the Iris Parliament was not able to deal includ

ed in the last Home Rule Bill was

maintained, with certain additions,

sions, compulsory insurance, the con-

stabulary, and the post office savings act.

The constabulary was, however, to be

automatically itransferred after six

years. With regard to old-age

pensions and compulsory insurance,

power was given to the Irish Parliament

to demand the transfer of these services.

SOME LIMITATIONS.

the Home. Rule Bill itself or alter the

ing protection and religious equality,

while a third clause stipulated that in

the exercise of its powers the Trish

Parliament should not make laws to

either directly or indirectly establish or

endow any religion or prohibit the free

privilege to any religion or make

RICHT OF VETO.

power of appeal to the Privy Council.

The Irish Parliament could not alter

after a year's notice.

and good government:

and House of Commons.

gestion of business in the House of

Rule in Ireland.

Dealing first with the question from

LONDON, April 11. Though the whips sent out in regard -to the Home Rule Bill are not of the -most urgent character, articles appearing in the newspapers recalling the seconds of 1886, when Mr Gladstone's Bill was introduced, and dwelling on Mr Asquith's difficulties, testify to the historic neture of to-day's sisting in the House of Commons.

#### THE IMPERIAL ARGUMENT.

The Daily Chronicle, in a page head-"Empire and Home Rule: The Voice of the Dominions on the side of Traland," prints special messages giving the views of Dominion Ministers and editors. General Boths, Sir Wilfred Laurier, Mr Fisher and Mr Deakin are amongst those quoted in favour of the

.Gevernment policy. The Imperial aspect of the case for and against Home Rule is especially emphasised in editorials on what the Liberal newspapers describe as "Final Battle of Liberals for the Irish people.

#### MINISTRY IN JEOPARDY.

The Conservatives dwell on the magnificent demonstrations at Belfast as evidence that the Ministerial barque will be shattered on the rock of Ulater,

#### THE SPEAKERS.

It is expected that Mr Asquith, though a master of conciseness, will since 1893 and pointed out that it had deprived Unionists of many-of their Mapeak for at least two hours. He will arguments. Every year had empha be followed by Sir Edward Carson, i sized the imperative need of the emancipation of the Imperial Parliament Mr Redmond, and Mr Ramssy from local cares. They would never Macdonald to-day, and by Ballour, Mr Long, Mr Birrell and ent parts of the United Kingdom possibly Sir Edward Grey on Monday. treated with adequate time, knowledge and sympathy until they had the Mr Bonar Law and Mr Churchill will courage and the wisdom to hand them close the debate on Tuesday, when a over to their special representatives. division will be taken on the first reading of the Bill.

#### GOVERNMENT CONCESSIONS.

Though forecasts still appear, the Commons under the existing system. and asked how they in the meanwhile Times says that most of them will be were discharging their duty to the found to be erroneous in important empire at large. He-referred to the particulars, as there have been frequent creation of the Commonwealth Australia and the grant of self-governchanges until a few days ago. There ment to the Transvaal and to the Union is good reason for saying that the Go- of South Africa. The case of the -vernment has broken fresh ground in Transvaul was strictly analogous to that the matter of safeguards for Ulster, of of Ireland, and he would be a bold man who would assert that the case of Ulster which they will give no hint yet. The Boer and Briton living side by side in Government expects that these will territory just recovered from internecina produce an unexpected effect, yet There is much uncertainty among Ministerialists regarding the country's DETAILS OF THE PROPOSALS. reception of them, and gloomy forebodings, owing to the determined stand of Ulster. One Minister said the resistance of Ulster is the crux of the situation.

#### ASQUITH INTRODUCES THE MEASURE.

LONDON, April 12. There was a great rush for seats in the House of Commons to-day, and all Ireland. It would only have power to were taken, as also were the seats in the galleries, soon after the House opened its proceedings.

### CHEERING THE LEADERS.

London, April 12, 3.10 a.m. The House of Commons was crowded but not in such great numbers as on the occasion of the introduction of -the previous bills. No chairs were placed on the floor of the House as in 1893 and 1886.

Mr Asquith, on entening, received a volley of cheers from the Ministerialists and Nationalists. Mr John Redmond was warmly welcomed by the Nationalists.

The Unionists stood up to cheer Sir | THE RELIGIOUS QUESTION. Edward Carson; shortly afterwards M Bonar Law was similarly applauded.

### PRIME MINISTER'S INTRO-

DUCTION. Mr Asquith rose amid the cheering of a renewed evation. He said it was 19 years since Mr Gladstone had intro- any religious ceremony a condition of duced his last measures to provide for validity of any marriage. the better government of Troland. That speech contained a perfect exposition of an historic case as between Great Britain and Ireland. He did to veto or suspend a bill on the instructenot pretoud to cover the same ground, question regarding the in frontation tion of the provisions of the Bill, he ion was to be tettled by appeal to the would take up the narrative at the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. point whereat Mr. Gladstone left off and would ask the House how far the oses for and against Home Hole had

was to be a nominated body. In view

of the special nirolinstruces prevailing in Ireland, it was very descrable to get into the Senate representatives of the minority. The Senate would be nominnted in the first insunce by the Imperial executive for a fixed term, but as they retired by rotation vacaboies would be filled on the nomination of the Irish executive. Where there was disagreement between the two Houses (they bad followed the South African precedent) the two Houses would sit and vote the Pope linve been denied in Rome.

The Head of the Executive would be the Lord Lieutenant as at present, but there would be no religious bar and he would hold the office for a fixed term. The authority of the executive would be ebbed and flowed; Governments had co-extensive with the authority of the come and gone; they had had peace I Trich Parliament.

#### THE FINANCIAL ASPECT confusion one thing had remained constant, namely, the insistence and

Turning to the question of finance, by a special committee appointed to investigate the financial relations bethey had derived great benefit from that report. He emphasized the fact Seventeen Unionists and sixteen Home that under the existing system it was Rulers were returned for Ulster. nobody's interest in Ireland to Ministerial cheers.) These figures economise. Next year there would be were quite sufficient to show how misa-deficit of a million and a half on Irish administration and if the present tence that the would die rather than system was continued the deficit would assent to Home Rule. (Ministerial be added to year by year. The Bill anticipated a future when Irish income cheers). He never under-estimated and expenditure would balance and the strength and determination of provision was made for that state of resistance to Home Rule in Ulster. It affairs and meanwhile the collection of was a factor which a cane and prudent taxes would remain an Imperia statesman could not leave out of acservice and would be paid into the count and he hoped presently to show Imperial exchequer. It was provided they had not ignored it in framing the that there should be transferred from bill. The could not, however, admit the right of a relatively small minority, the Imperial to the Irish exchaquer a sum, called the Transferred Sam, especially when care had been taken representing the cost as determinto safeguard their special interests, to ed by a Board called the Joint Exveto the verdict of the vast majority chequer Board to the Imperial Ex-

chequer of Irish services at the time of pasting the Ack There would further be paid over to Ireland half a million during the first year, this sum diminishing by £50,000 yearly to £200,000. The Postal Service would be made an Irish service and Ireland would get the benefit of all economies made in her administration.

The Irish Purliament would have full power to devise new taxes, and to increase, reduce or discontinue the Imperial taxes, subject to the following restrictions: -Firstly, as regards Income Tax, Estate Duties and Customs other than Customs duties on beer and spirits it would be unable to add more than will produce 10 per cent, increase in yield, while as regards Excise duties its hands would be free; secondly, it cannot impose Customs duties except on articles dutiable in the United Kingdom; thirdy, there are certain stamp duties which ought to be uniform throughout the United Kingdom, and fourthly, any reduction or increase in Imperial taxes will be subject to a reduction or increase in the transferred sum corresponding to and stoped the police. the diminished or increased yield thus

Irish representation at Westminster would be reduced to 42, namely, one member for very 100,000 of the population, and the Irish Universities would cease to be represented in the Imperial Parliament. The House of Commons, said the Premier, must continue to the House of Commons of the United Kingdom, and Irish members would have an unfettered right to vote.

### A "SCENE."

Quoting Mr Bonar Law's speech about "treacherous conspiracy," the Premier said that was the new style. This remark was greeted with cheers It would have the power to pass and counter-cheers and cries of "It' true." to which Mr Asquith retorted that that was all very well for Ulster. but how about for the House of Com-

Mr Bonar Law was understood to say that he had already said so in the House of Commons itself. Mr Asquith-Am I to understand that Mr Bonar Law is prepared to including land purchase, old age penrepeat in the House of Commons that

and my colleagues are selling our Mr Bonar Law-You have not got any, (Opposition cheers and aproar), Mr Asquith Does Mr Bonar Law (Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) mean that we are producing a Bill

which is not representing our views! What am I and my colleagues to get? This query was greeted with cries of " Office" and " Nationalist Votes." Mr Asquith firmly repudiated the suggestion that they were surrendering their convictions and selling for all

time their personal and political honour. They had brought forward this Bill as the embodiment of their hear RIFLE SIGHT DISPUTE There were special provisions afford- and deliberate judgment. With this rejoinder the Premier took his seat being accorded an ovation.

#### FIGHTING IN MOROCCO.

FRENCH FORCE ATTACKED

The Lord Lieu'enant had the power (Reuler's Service to the China Mail) Loxpos, April 12. Reuter's correspondent at Ujda tele but before he entered upon an explana- of the Home Rule act and its applicat graphs that 2,500 Berbers utincked the French reconnaissance commanded by Colonel Ferand on the Oth instant near

He spoke for two hours,

Cobdust but Colonel Bened vigorous I ... Roosevelt line work a great The Cenate would consist of 10 stacked the Delver in furn rooting over President Est of the devices of people of Commons from with Leavy Some The President designates of History to the Commons of Commons from with Leavy Some The President designates of History to the Commons of Commons from With Leavy Some The President designates of History to the Commons of Commons from With Leavy Some The President designation of Co and another one vey or another by at 101 whereof Timer would have to consulte where it killed and 21 forward the property is not

Corrections. THE POPE.

RUMOURED LEATH

### REPORTED Router's Service to the China Mail

LONDON, April 12. Private telegrams received in Madrid announcing the death of His Holiness.

### PANAMA VOLCANO. THOUSANDS REPORTED

LONDON, April 11

A fruit steamer which has arrived at Mobile, Alabama, reports that thousands | payment of 20 cents cash, Hong wers killed and a number of Indian Mr Asquith said the Government were villages destroyed as a result of an unable to adopt the scheme suggested eruption from Chiriqui, Peak, Panamu.

#### tween Great Britain and Ireland, but SERIOUS COAL RIOTS TROUBLE WITH IRRECONCIL ABLES.

Reuter's Service to the China Mail London, April 11...

There were serious encounters between the police and rioters at Atherton and Goldborne yesterday, during which many were injured.

General Bethune and staff have taken up their headquarters at Wigan. is his expected that the trouble will be

Mr Walsh, Labour M.P. for Ince, who The Battle, by Claude Farrers. was recently accused of treachery to his Mrs Wycherleys Wards, by L. A. Harker. comrades because of a speech in House of Commons, secured enthusiastic support at a meeting attended by 7,000 people at Wigan last night, when he consured irresponsible youths for rioting when thousands were anxious to resume work in order to get a square meal for their children.

It is estimated that half a million miners are working.

### MORE TROOPS.

Yesterday the 16th Lancers and 450 the Suffolk Regiment arrived at Wigan owing to the prosence of bands recalcitrant minera.

Six hundred men of the Royal Fusiliers have arrived at Leigh, and a battalion of the Welsh Regiment has been ordered to be in readiness to proceed to Wigner-where miners visited the collieries and successfully intimidated workers, damaged mine property

### RAILWAY LOSSES.

The traffic decreases last week bring up the aggregate gross decrease railway receipts in five weeks

### S. WALES MINERS RETURN.

LONDON, April, 12. The South Wales miners are returning to work in large numbers in deference to a manifesto from their leaders.

### A DRIFTING STEAMER.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, April 11. The steamer, Augsberg, bound from Vatal to Java, which was reported overdue on March 21st, is reported to be drifting in Latitude 36 North, Longitude 56 West.

The steamer Bremen is searching for

### TURCO-ITALIAN WAR. ITALIAN

### FORCES STRENGTHENED.

London, April 11. A message from Reuter's agent at Rome states & fleet of transports escorted by battleships effected a lancing of troops from Italy near Zuara in Tripoli after engaging the enemy by the feint of landing elsewhere.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONBON, April 11. The whole question of rifle sights, ever which there bas been a dispute

between British and Canadian Rifle Associations, will be dealt with at a Conference to be held in Ottawa. The English delegates, Col. Crosse and Col. Barrow, leave for Ottawn

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the 7th May.

the German Mails with dates from

Berlin of the 20th March, left Co-

lombo on Saturday, the 6th April,

p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 17th April,

on 8th April en route for Hongkong,

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Wednesday the 27th March, and is ex-

pected to arrive here on 23rd April.

Japan left Vancouver B.C. for Hong-

from San Francisco on the 10th April

for Hon kong, via Honolalu, Yoko-

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Other Vessels.

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The E. & A. eteamer Eastern left Sydney

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here on the 14th April.

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. April 12, 1912.

E. V. JESSEN, Acting Superintendent. Hongrong Station.

> Ben' Line of Steamers. NUTICE 10 CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BENARTY.

FROM LEITH, MIDDLESERO'. LUNDON & STRAITS,

YUNSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby he formed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardons The N. Y. K. s.s. Awa Maru (American and/or extra bazardous Conowss of the Horstong and Kowloon While and Godown Co., Limitan, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 19th Apr.l. will be subject to rent. All Claims against the steamer must he presented to the Undersigned on or before. the 26 h April or they will not be real oughted " All brokens chaled, and damaged Good, are to he left in the Godowns: where they will be examined on the 19th April at

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB DIVINUSTOR & CONTENT OF THE PROPERTY OF T Hongkime, April 12, 1912. 508 March 7, Ma H. Riemanabneider, Ma H.

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PO-T OFFICE - OTICES.

The Parcel Post system to the follow places, in China is for the present

Mails will Close for : -HOIHOW. BAIPHONG & PAKHOR Per Hongkong at 9 a.m., on Saturday. the 13th April.

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Per Mike Maru, at. 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 13th April. HILIPPINE ISLANDS. Per Longsung, at I p.m., on Saturday, the 13th April.

Per Sui Tvi, at 1:15 pm, or Saturday. the 13th April. SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. Per Gregory Apour, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the 13th April.

FORT BAYARD Per American, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the 13th April. FORMOSA VIA KEELUNG. Per Yerimo Maru, at 3 p.m., on Situr.

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Per Anhui, on Saturday, the 19th April. Registration at 5 p.m. Letters at 6 p.m. April 9, Aki Maru, Ambria. Dumbea. Siberian Mail to Europe. SWATOW, AMOY & FORMOSA.

Per Daijin Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 14th April. April 9. Aragonia, Dumbea, Kamo Maru, Persia, P. E. Friedrich. SWATOW. Lith April

HAIPHONG & PAKHOL

Per Singan, at II a.m., on Monday, the löth April YOKOHAMA. Per Full la, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 15th April.

STRAITS, BURMAH, CEYLON, ADE-San Francisco sailed from Yokohama INDIA. ADEN & EUROPE VIA and "is due to arrive at this port on. BRINDISI.

Per Delta, on Saturday, the 13th April.
Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration at 10.15 a.m. (Registration, with late fee of 10 cents up to 11 a.m.) Registration, Kowloon B.C., 9.30 a m.

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Extra Postage 10 cents. (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail). The Parcel Mail will be closed at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 12th April.

China Coast Meteorological, Register.

April 12:-AT A.M.

506 The Apear Line s.s. Catherine Apear from Calcutta left Singapore on the afternoon of 8th April, and may be expected here on or about the 14th The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s v.s. Hansang, leaving Shanghai on the 11th April for Hongkong, is due here about Vl'ostock ... 7 a. 29.79 40 54 w 0 o Nemuro .... 6a, 29.59 — | — ]wsw 3 The Glen Line s.s. Glenstrae left Hakodate ... , 29.75 - w 4 --Singapore on Thursday, the 11th Tokio ..... ,. 30.01 - ww 1 April, and is due here on or about Kochi 30;11 — — RW 1 Magasaki ... , 30.29 — — = nxw 4 Kagoshima. , 30.27 — = nxw 3 The G. N. str. Minnesota left Yokohama Oshima ... 30.30 — = = 2 — Naha...... 30.32 — = 0 for this port via Manils on the 5th April, and is expected here on the Ishi'jima ... , 30.33 — - x x = 3 — Bonin Is ... . 30.14 - - NW 1 Chefoo .... 6a. - - - -The I.-C.'S. N. Co., Ltd's s. Kutsang, left Calcutta via Straits for Hongkong Weihaiwei 9a. 30.18 60 23 sw 6 1 on the 4th April, and is due here on. Hankow ... Kiukiang ... ,, The P. M. S. S. Co. s.s. Nile sailed from | Shanghai ... 30.41 46 83 880 1 b 30.37-48 - Bew 1 br San Francisco on the 3rd April for Gutzlaff ..... Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama Sharp Pk... 7 a. 30.38 56 - x 4 50 6a. 30.37, 58 71 NE 1 C. Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, and is Amoy ...... due to arrive at this port on the 30th Swatow ..... Taihoku .... 5 a. 30.35 - - 8 6 Wednesday, the 1 th April at noor, Tainan ...., 30.33 — x 2 — x 2 — and may be expected here on or about Koshun ..... 30.25 — x 2 — x 10 — The N. D. L. R.S. Coblen: left Sydney on Taichu ...... 30.23 - NE 10 -Pescadores, ... The Indra Line s.s. Indramayo passed the Canton .... 9 s. 50.38 67 87 x 1 Hongkong Ga. 30.32 58 79 N 1 Sucz Canal on Tuesday, the 9th Auril. and is due here on or about Monday, Vict. Peak. 7 a. - - - 3 the 6th May. Gap Rock .. 6 a 30.27, - - ME 5 7 Macao ..... , 30.30 55 - NEW 1 cf The Glen Line s a. Clenesk pa sed the Wuchow ... 9n. Suez Canal on Tuesday, the 9th April, Hoihow .... Pakhoi .... and is due here on or about Saturday,

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WEATHER REPORT

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Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ld. 125,000 8

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Steam Laundry Company, Limited 20,000 1

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South China Morning Post.

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